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Dear Ms. Rinek:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed the Federal Register Notice published February 13, 2009 requesting comments on the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), U.S. Bureau of Reclamation (USBR), and National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) decision to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report (EIS/EIR) for the above action. Our comments are provided pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), Council on Environmental Quality (CEQ) regulations (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508), and our NEPA review authority under Section 309 of the Clean Air Act.

Our comments are attached below. Our letter has also been faxed to you. The original signed letter is in the mail to you. We look forward to our continued constructive involvement in developing the BDCP EIS/EIR. Please send subsequent notices and three copies of the Draft EIS to the address below (mail code: CED-2). If you have any questions about our comments, please call Laura Fujii, the lead NEPA reviewer, or Carolyn Yale, the Water Division lead, for this project. Laura can be reached at (415) 972-3852 or fujii.laura@epa.gov. Carolyn can be reached at (415)972-3482 or yale.carolyn@epa.gov.

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